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INVENTION Microorganisms and Their Use in Animal Feed			GROUP ART UNIT 1761

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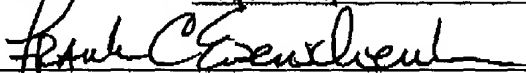
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Sir:

A Petition and Fee for a one-month Extension of Time through and including April 10, 2003,
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In response to Office Action dated December 10, 2002, please amend the above-identified

01 FC:1202 application as follows:
02 FC:1201

In the Claims

Please substitute the following claims:

Claim 1 (thrice amended):

1. A method for increasing the feed efficiency of animals comprising administering to the animals multiple feedings of a solid feed selected from the group consisting of forage, cereal grain, grasses, legumes, crop residues, corn, sorghum, wheat, rye, barley, oats, rice, cottonseed, gin

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